BOARD OF LEVEE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT STATE OF LOUISIANA GALLIANO, LOUISIANA JUNE 30, 2014

Audit of Financial Statements

JUNE 30, 2014

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Levee Commissioners of the South Lafourche Levee District State of Louisiana Galliano, Louisiana

Report on Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of the South Lafourche Levee District (the "Levee District"), a component unit of the State of Louisiana, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2014, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Levee District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the Unites States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentations of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the Unites States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit includes performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above, present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and each major fund of the South Lafourche Levee District as of June 30, 2014, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, the schedule of funding progress for other post-employment benefits information and the budgetary comparison schedules on pages 3 through 6 and 29 through 31, respectively, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Levee District's basic financial statements. The accompanying supplementary information such as the Board Members' Per Diem, State Revenue Sharing and the Division of Administration Reporting Packet, as listed in the table of contents, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements of the Levee District. The division of Administration Reporting Packet, State Revenue Sharing and Board Members' Per Diem are the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements themselves, and other procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statement taken as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Governmental Auditing Standards

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In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 29, 2014, on our consideration of the Levee District's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contract and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results on our audit.

Lake Charles, Louisiana September 29, 2014

The management's discussion and analysis of the Board of Levee Commissioners of the South Lafourche Levee District (the "Levee District") financial performance presents a narrative overview and analysis of the commission's financial activities for the year ended June 30, 2014. This document focused on the current year's activities, resulting changes and currently known facts. Please read this document in conjunction with the Levee District's financial statements.

Financial Highlights

- Total net position increased \$724,169, to \$51,473,711 at June 30, 2014 from the June 30, 2013 amount of \$50,749,542 an increase of 1.4%.
- The Levee District recorded operating grant from the State of Louisiana in the amount of \$3,520,260.
- The Levee District recorded long-term debt for the other post-employment benefits (other than retirement benefits) liability for retiree's benefits in the amount of \$1,226,676 as required under Government Accounting Standard Board Statement No. 45 Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits Other than Pensions. See notes to financial statements for further discussion.
- During 2014, the Levee District made levee improvements including levee lifts and other improvements and repairs to pump station totaling \$11,675,055.
- The Levee District received proceeds from a new bond issue during 2006 in the amount of \$7,000,000. The bond proceeds are to be used for the purpose of constructing and maintaining necessary levees, levee drainage, flood protection, hurricane flood protection and all other purposes incidental thereto. During 2014 the Levee district remitted \$635,000 in principal payments on the bond issue. As of June 30, 2014, the remaining unpaid principal balance was \$2,955,000.

Overview of the basic financial statements

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the Levee District's financial statements, which is comprised of government-wide financial statements, fund financial statements and notes to the financial statements.

The government-wide financial statements present financial information for all activities of the Levee District from an economic resources measurement focus using the accrual basis of accounting. They present governmental activities, such as general government and debt service, separately from business-type activities. The Levee District has only governmental activities. Government-wide financial statements for governmental activities include the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities. They provide information about the activities of the Levee District as a whole and present a longer-term view of the Levee District's finances.

The Levee District has three governmental type funds – General Fund, Debt Service Fund and the Capital Projects Fund. The fund financial statements are comprised of the Balance Sheet and the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances. These statement report how the Levee District's flood protection services are financed in the short term as well as what remains for future spending. These funds are reported using an accounting method called modified accrual accounting, which measures cash and all other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed *short-term view* of the Levee District's general operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the Levee District's programs. Fund financial statements also report the Levee District's operations in more detail than the government-wide statements by providing information about the Levee District's major funds. We describe the relationship (or differences) between the governmental activities (reported in the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) and the governmental funds in a reconciliation at the bottom of the fund financial statements.

Financial Analysis of the Levee District

The following presents condensed financial information on the operation of the Levee District:

						Change
	Ju	ne 30, 2014	Ju	ine 30, 2013		Inc (Dec)
Current Assets	\$	23,636,575	\$	22,161,536	\$	1,475,039
Capital Assets, net		34,199,406		35,477,792		(1,278,386)
Total Assets	\$	57,835,981	\$	57,639,328	\$	196,653
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Current Liabilities	\$	2,074,588	\$	2,741,705	\$	(667,117)
Long Term Liabilities		4,287,682		4,148,081		139,601
Total Liabilities	\$	6,362,270	\$	6,889,786	\$	(527,516)
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Net Investment In Capital Assets	\$	34,199,406	\$	35,477,792	\$	(1,278,386)
Reserved for Debt Service		-		-		-
Unrestricted Net Position		17,274,305		15,271,750		2,002,555
Total Net Position	\$	51,473,711	\$	50,749,542	\$	724,169
Program Revenues:						
Grants and Contributions	\$	3,520,260	\$	2,069,453	\$	1,450,807
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General Revenues						
Taxes		13,189,632		11,142,738		2,046,894
Mineral lease and royalty incor		147,091		277,635		(130,544)
Investment		24,458		32,694		(8,236)
Intergovernmental Revenues						
State Revenue Sharing		51,244		51,300		(56)
FEMA		-		467,051		(467,051)
Other		261,049		231,771		29,278
Total General Revenues		13,673,474		12,203,189		1,470,285
Total Revenues		17,193,734		14,272,642		2,921,092
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Total Expenses		16,469,565		15,045,280		(1,424,285)
Change in Net Position	\$	724,169	\$	(772,638)	\$	4,345,377

The Levee District's net position increased by \$724,169 during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014 primarily due to increased funding from the State as opposed to the prior year which was used in repairs to pump stations and maintenance to levees including levee lifts.

Analysis of Individual Funds of the Levee District

The activity in the individual funds is reflected in the Balance Sheet – Governmental Funds and the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances – Governmental Funds. The total net position and the change in net position as reflected in the government-wide financial statements (which are condensed above) are reconciled with the fund financial statements at the bottom of the respective statements.

Analysis of Budgeted Amounts

A comparison of budget to actual for the general fund, capital projects fund and the debt service fund is presented as a required supplemental statement. The annual budget is approved by the Board of Commissioners each year. The budgets is then submitted for approval to the Joint Legislative Committee on the budget no later than ninety days prior to the end of each fiscal year for the succeeding fiscal year for review. The fiscal year ended June 30, 2014, original budget was adopted March 11, 2013, and was subsequently amended on June 9, 2014.

The Levee District prepares the original budget for the subsequent year based on estimates of revenues and expenses for the current year. The Levee District makes assumptions about the subsequent year based on various factors available to management at the time the original budget is prepared. Management relies on the estimates and assumptions to determine how revenues and expenses for the subsequent year may fluctuate from the previous year.

The amount budgeted for revenue and expenses in the capital projects fund and general fund was adjusted from the original budgeted amounts due to the fact that the original budget was prepared before the end of the Levee District's fiscal year and due to the timing of projects where expenses will be shared with the state. The general fund adjusted the following amounts between its original and final budget: beginning of year fund balance was decreased by \$1,751,865, while revenue was increased by \$480,690 and expenses decreased by \$592,278. In the capital projects fund, amounts for original budget and final budget were adjusted as follows: beginning fund balance was decreased by \$2,131,793 and capital outlays were decreased by \$2,810,001. Transfers from the general fund to the capital projects fund were decreased in the amount of \$678,897 from the original to final budgets. There were no other significant fluctuations between the original and final budgeted amounts.

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets

The Levee District does not expect any significant variances for revenue or expenditure accounts between fiscal years ending June 30, 2014 and June 30, 2013.

Capital Assets and Long Term Debt Administration

Capital Assets

As of June 30, 2014, the Levee District had \$34,199,406 (net of depreciation) invested in a broad range of capital assets including land, building, equipment and infrastructure (lock system, pump stations and pumps). The levees are not owned by the Levee District and the Levee District is not responsible for significant maintenance on them; therefore, they are not recorded as capital assets. During the current year, the Levee District recorded \$22,447 of capital acquisitions and \$1,300,833 of depreciation.

Long Term Debt

The Levee District has one bond issue outstanding in the amount of \$2,955,000 as of June 30, 2014. The next principal payment is due March 1, 2015, in the amount of \$675,000. The remaining amount of \$2,280, 000 is classified as long term debt in the financial statements.

The Levee District also has recorded compensated absences payable as of June 30, 2014, in the amount of \$106,006, which represents a decrease of \$15,553 from the prior year. The Levee District has classified \$26,502 of the above amount as short term.

Also included in long term debt is the other post-employment benefits liability for retiree's benefits in the amount of \$1,101,911 as required under Government Accounting Standard Board Statements No. 45 – Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits Other than Pensions. See notes to financial statements for further discussion.

Contacting the Levee District's Financial Management

This report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers and creditors with a general overview of the Levee District's finances. If you have any questions regarding this report, contact the South Lafourche Levee District, Post Office Box 426, Galliano, Louisiana 70354.

SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT STATE OF LOUISIANA STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2014

ASSETS		
Cash in Banks	\$	1,448,215
Investment - Certificates of deposit	•	5,500,000
Investement - LAMP		14,041,064
Accrued interest		13,508
Accounts receivable		2,630,403
Deposits		3,385
Property and equipment, net		34,199,406
Total assets	\$	57,835,981
LIABILITIES AND NET POSITION		
Liabilities		
Accounts payable	\$	277,866
Contract payable		1,698,105
Accrued interest payable		23,022
Unearned revenue - Port Commission		75,595
Long term liabilities due within one year		701,502
Other post employment benefits payable		1,226,676
Long term liabilities due in more than one year		2,359,504
Total liabilities	\$	6,362,270
Net position		
Net Investment in Capital Assets	\$	34,199,406
Restricted for Debt Service		<u>-</u>
Unrestricted		17,274,305
Total net position	\$	51,473,711

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT STATE OF LOUISIANA STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES JUNE 30, 2014

PROGRAM REVENUES

		Expenses		Operating Grants and ontributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Net Revenue and Change in Net Positio Governmental Activities		
Functions/programs Public safety								
Flood protection Interest on long term debt	\$	16,390,300 79,265	\$	3,520,260	\$ -	\$	(12,870,040) (79,265)	
Total governmental activities	\$	16,469,565	\$	3,520,260	\$ -		(12,949,305)	
General Revenues: Taxes Mineral lease and royalty income Intergovernmental revenues: State revenue sharing Unrestricted investment earnings Miscellaneous							13,189,632 147,091 51,244 24,458 261,049	
	Tota	l general reven		13,673,474				
	Char	nge in net posit		724,169				
	Net p	oosition - begin		50,749,542				
	Net p	osition - end o	\$	51,473,711				

Governmental Fund Statements

SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT STATE OF LOUISIANA BALANCE SHEET JUNE 30, 2014

	Governmental Funds						
	G	eneral Fund	Capital Projects Fund		Debt Service fund		Total Governmental Funds
ASSETS							
Cash in Banks	\$	1,356,599	\$	91,616	\$	-	\$ 1,448,215
Investment - certificates of deposit		5,500,000		_		-	5,500,000
Investment - LAMP		14,041,064		-		-	14,041,064
Accrued Interest		13,508		-		-	13,508
Accounts receivable		1,799,668		830,735		-	2,630,403
Deposits		3,385		-		-	3,385
Total assets	\$	22,714,224	\$	922,351	\$	-	\$ 23,636,575
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES							
Liabilities							
Accounts payable	\$	52,265	\$	225,601	\$	-	\$ 277,866
Contracts payable		-		1,698,105		-	1,698,105
Deferred Revenue-Port Commission		75,595		-		-	75,595
Total liabilities		127,860		1,923,706		~	 2,051,566
Fund balances							
Nonspendable		-				-	-
Restricted		-				-	-
Committed		-				-	-
Assigned		-				-	-
Unassigned		22,586,364		(1,001,355)		-	 21,585,009
Total fund balances		22,586,364		(1,001,355)			21,585,009
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	22,714,224	\$	922,351	\$	_	
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the s The purchase of capital assets are reported as exper governmental funds. The statement of net position the District. These capital assets are depreciated o statement of activities and are not reported in the g	nditures reports over thei	as they are inco capiral outlays r estimated use	urred as an	in the asset of	se:		
Total cost of capital assets	;						48,961,460
Accumulated depreciation	related	I to those asset	S				(14,762,054)
Long term liabilities that are not due and payable in liability in the governmental funds. All liabilities - but in the statement of net position.		•		•			
Compensated absences pa	ayable						(106,006)
Accrued interest on bonds	•	2					(23,022)
Other post employment be							(1,226,676)
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Bonds payable

Net position of governmental activities

(2,955,000)

51,473,711

SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT STATE OF LOUISIANA STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014

Governmental Funds

		General Fund		Capital Projects Fund		Debt Service fund		Total Governmental Funds
REVENUES								
Taxes		\$	13,189,632	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 13,189,632
Mineralleas	e and royalty income		147,091		-		-	147,091
Intergovernn	nental		51,244		3,520,260		-	3,571,504
Investment i	ncome		22,796		1,662		-	24,458
Miscellaneo	us		220,903		40,146		-	261,049
	Total revenues		13,631,666		3,562,068		-	17,193,734
EXPENDITURE	S							
Current								
	Public safety-flood protection		3,304,950		-		-	3,304,950
	Capital outlay		22,447		11,675,055		-	11,697,502
	Debt service		-		=		-	-
	Principal		-		-	635,0	000	635,000
	Interest		-		-	84,6	515	84,615
	Debt service fees		-		-		-	
	Total Expenditures		3,327,397		11,675,055	719,6	515	15,722,067
	Excess (deficiency) of revenues							
	over (under) expenditures		10,304,269		(8,112,987)	(719,6	515)	1,471,667
OTHER FINANC	CING SOURCES (USES)							
	Operating transfers in		-		7,246,425	719,6	515	7,966,040
	Operating transfers out		(7,966,040)		-		-	(7,966,040)
	Total other financing sources (uses)		(7,966,040)		7,246,425	719,6	515	-
	Excess of revenues and other financing							
	sources over expenditures and other							
	financing uses		2,338,229		(866,562)		٠.	1,471,667
	Fund balances-beginning of the year		20,248,135		(134,793)			
	Fund balances-end of the year	\$	22,586,364	\$	(1,001,355)	\$	-	

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:

Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is capitalized in the statement of net position.

This is the amount by which depreciation expense exceeded capital outlay during the year. (1,2)	78,386)
Governmental funds report changes in certain liabilities in the General Long Term Debt Account	
Group, however the changes affect costs in the statement of activities.	
Personnel cost decrease due to compensated absences.	15,553
Principal payment on bond issue recorded as expense in governmental funds	35,000
Accrued interest on bonds not reported in governmental funds	5,100
Adjusted for other post-employment benefits <u>(12</u>	24,765)
Change in net position of governmental activities \$ 7	24,169

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

INTRODUCTION

The Board of Levee Commissioners of the South Lafourche Levee District (the "Levee District") was created by Louisiana Revised Statute 38:291. The Levee District embraces all of Lafourche Parish lying south of the intracoastal canal. The Levee District primarily provides flood protection for those areas in the Levee District and is authorized to construct and maintain levees, levee drainage, pumps, pumping stations, drainage canals, sea wall, jetties, and breakwaters in the district to protect the lands from overflow and particularly from hurricane floodwaters and from inundation from tidewaters from the Gulf of Mexico. The Levee District administers the operations and responsibilities of Louisiana Statutes. Members of the Board are appointed by the Governor in accordance with the provisions of Louisiana Revised Statute 38:304.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

In June 1999, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) approved Statement No. 34, "Basic Financial Statements – and Management's Discussion and Analysis – for State and Local Governments". The State of Louisiana and its components elected to implement the provision of this statement for the year ended June 30, 2002. The implementation of this statement has created additional statements, schedules, reports and note disclosures as follows:

- A Management Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) section providing an analysis of the overall financial position and results of operations.
- Financial Statements are prepared using the full accrual accounting methods:
 - o Depreciation is recorded on depreciable assets, and property and equipment (including infrastructure) is recorded net of accumulated depreciation.
- The basic financial statements include Government-wide Statements and Fund Financial Statements, as explained in the following note disclosures:

Reporting Entity

Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 14 established criteria for determining which component units should be considered part of the reporting entity for financial reporting purposes. The basic criterion for including a potential component unit within the reporting entity is financial accountability. The GASB has set forth criteria to be considered in determining financial accountability. This criteria includes:

- 1. Appointing a voting majority of an organization's governing body, and
 - a. The ability of the State to impose its will on that organization and/or
 - b. The potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits to or impose specific financial burdens on the State.
- 2. Organizations for which the State does not appoint a voting majority but are fiscally dependent on the State.
- 3. Organizations for which the reporting entity financial statement would be misleading if data of the organization is not included because of the nature or significance of the relationship.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued):

Because the State of Louisiana, via the Governor, appoints all of the member of the Levee District's governing board and has the ability to impose its will on the Levee District, the Levee District was determined to be a component unit of the State of Louisiana. The accompanying financial statements present information only on the funds maintained by the Levee District and do not present information on the State of Louisiana, the general government services provided by that government unit, or the other governmental units that comprise the financial reporting entity.

Government-wide and fund financial statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of changes in net position) report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the primary government.

The Statement of Activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment is offset by program revenues. *Direct expenses* are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. *Program revenues* include (1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operation or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as *general revenues*. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

Policies specific to the government-wide financial statement are as follows:

Eliminating Internal Activity

Interfund receivables and payables are eliminated in the Statement of Net Position except for the net residual amounts due between governmental and business-type activities. These are presented as internal balances. The Levee District has no business-type activities.

Application of FASB Statement and Interpretations

Reporting on governmental-type activities is based on FASB Statement and Interpretations issued after November 30, 1989, except where they conflict or contradict FASB pronouncements.

Capitalizing Assets

Assets used in operation with an initial useful life that extends beyond one year are capitalized. Building, equipment, furniture and fixtures and infrastructure are depreciated over their estimated useful lives using the straight line method. Depreciation is not calculated on land, land improvements or construction in progress. Accumulated depreciation is recorded net of depreciable assets in the Statement of Net Position.

Program Revenues

The Statement of Activities presents two categories of program revenues – (1) charges for services and (2) capital grants and contributions.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued):

Charges for services – are revenues from exchanges or exchange like transactions with external parties that purchase, use or directly benefit from the program's goods, services or privileges. These revenues include fees charged for specific services, licenses and permits, and operating special assessment and include payments from exchange transactions with other governments. The Levee District receives no fees for services.

Capital grants and contributions – are resources that are restricted for operating purposes of a program. They include grants and contributions with restrictions that permit the resources to be used for programs operating of capital needs at the recipient government's discretion.

Measurement focus, basis of accounting, and financial statement presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the *economic resources measurement focus* and the *accrual basis of accounting.* Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statement are reported using the *current financial resources measurement focus* and the *modified accrual basis of accounting*. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measureable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within thirty-one days after the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred as under accrual accounting.

Governmental Funds

Governmental funds are those through which most governmental functions typically are financed. Governmental funds reporting focuses on the sources, uses and balances of current financial resources. Expendable assets are assigned to various governmental funds according to the purpose for which they may or may not be used. Current liabilities are assigned to the fund from which they will be paid. The difference between governmental fund assets and liabilities is reported as fund balance.

The Levee District report the following major governmental funds:

General Fund

The General Fund is the general operating fund of the Levee District. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in other funds.

Debt Service Fund

The Debt Service Fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources for, and the payment of, levee improvement bonds totaling \$7,000,000, issued during fiscal year 2006.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued):

Capital Projects Fund

The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities. The fund is presently being used to account for the construction of the levee system and pumping stations in the Levee District.

Revenues - Exchange and Non-Exchange Transactions

Revenue resulting from exchange transactions, in which each party gives and receives essentially equal value, is recorded on the accrual basis when the exchange takes place. On a modified accrual basis, revenue is recorded in the fiscal year in which the resources are measurable and become available. Available means that the resources will be collected within the current fiscal year or are expected to be collected soon thereafter to be used to pay the liabilities of the current fiscal year. For the Levee District, available means expected to be received within thirty-one days of the fiscal year-end. Under the modified accrual basis, only interest is considered to be both measurable and available at fiscal year-end.

Non-exchange transactions, in which the Levee District receives value without directly giving value in return, includes grants and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from grants and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied. Eligibility requirements including timing requirements, which specify the year when resources are required to be used, matching requirements, in which the Levee District must provide local resources to be used for a specific purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the Levee District on a reimbursement basis. On a modified accrual basis, revenue from non-exchange transactions must be available before it can be recognized.

Revenues - Taxes

Ad valorem taxes are assessed on a calendar year basis, become due on November 15th of each year, and become delinquent on December 31st. Ad valorem taxes are recorded in the year the taxes are received. Sales taxes are recorded as revenue based on the month paid by the taxpayer. Sales taxes received by the Levee District in August are for the month of June and are recorded as a receivable as of June 30th. If taxes were recorded when assessed the amount recorded would not be materially different from the amount actually recorded in the financial statements.

Expenses/Expenditures

On an accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred. The measurement focus of governmental fund accounting is on decreases in net financial resources (expenditures) rather than expenses. Expenditures are generally recognized in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred, if measureable.

Other Financing Sources (Uses)

In governmental fund accounting, transfers between funds, which are not expected to be repaid, are accounted for as other financing sources (uses). In those cases where repayment is expected, the advances are accounted for through the various "due from" and "due to" accounts. These amounts are eliminated in the government-wide financial statements.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued):

Proceeds from the issuance of bonds are accounted for as other financing sources in the governmental funds. These amounts are recorded as liabilities in the government-wide financial statements.

Property and Equipment

Property and Equipment are recorded at cost, if purchased or constructed. Assets acquired through contributions are capitalized at their estimated fair value, if available, or at estimated fair value or cost to construct at the date of the contribution. Equipment includes all items valued above \$500 and infrastructure includes the cost to construct and improve the pumps, pump stations and lock systems. Assets are depreciated using the straight-line method over the useful lives of the assets as follows:

<u>Asset</u>	<u>Years</u>
Automobiles	5
Equipment	5-10
Furniture and Fixtures	7
Buildings	40
Infrastructure	40

The Levee District provides general maintenance to forty-four miles of levees, which are not recorded in these financial statements because the District does not own the levees and is not responsible for significant maintenance on them.

Under GASB Statement No. 34, the government-wide financial statements and the fund financial statements do not include the General Fixed Asset Account Group.

Long-Term Obligations

Long-term obligations are reported at face value.

Under GASB Statement No. 34, the government-wide financial statement and the fund financial statements do not include the General Long Term Debt Account Group.

Budget Practices

The budget practices of the Levee District are prescribed by Louisiana Revised Stature 38:318. This statute requires the Levee District to submit its annual budget to the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget, no later than 90 days prior to the end of each fiscal year for the succeeding fiscal year for review.

The Levee District prepares budgets for all its funds but does not budget the beginning fund balance for the Debt Service Fund. The budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP). The budgets were amended once during the fiscal year.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued):

Amendments to the budget must be approved by the Board of Commissioners.

Appropriations which are not expended lapse at year end.

Encumbrances

Encumbrance accounting is not utilized by the Levee District.

Cash, Cash Equivalents and Investments

Cash and cash equivalents include demand deposits in banks and the State Treasury. The caption "cash in banks" on the Statement of net position includes all cash on deposit at banks, including certificates of deposit with an original maturity of less than 90 days. If the original maturity exceeds 90 days, they are classified as investments.

Louisiana state law allows all political subdivisions to invest excess funds in obligations of the United States, certificates of deposit of any bank domiciled or having a branch office in the State of Louisiana or any other federally insured investments, guaranteed investment contracts and investment grade (A-1/P-1) commercial paper of domestic corporations.

Louisiana state law requires deposits (cash and certificates of deposit) of all political subdivisions be fully collateralized at all times. Acceptable collateralization includes the FDIC insurance and the market value of securities purchased and pledged to the political subdivision. Obligations of the United States, the State of Louisiana and certain political subdivisions are allowed as security for deposits. Obligations furnished as security must be held by the political subdivision or with an unaffiliated bank or trust company for the account of the political subdivision. The market value of the demand deposits and certificates of deposit is equal to their cost.

Annual and Sick Leave

Employees accumulate annual and sick leave at various rates based on their years of service. The amount of annual and sick leave that may be accumulated by each employee is unlimited. Upon termination, an employee is compensated for up to 300 hours of unused annual leave at the employee's hourly rate of pay. Upon retirement, unused annual leave in excess of 300 hours plus unused sick leave is considered in computing the years of service for retirement benefit purposes. The liability for leave privileges at June 30, 2014, is estimated to be \$97,963 which is recorded as a liability in the government-wide financial statements.

Compensatory Leave

Employees who are considered having non-exempt status according to the guidelines contained in the Fair Labor Standards Act may be paid compensatory leave earned (K-time). Upon termination or transfer, an employee will be paid for any time and one-half compensatory leave earned and may or may not be paid for any straight hour compensatory leave earned. Compensation paid will be based on the employee's hourly rate of pay at termination or transfer. The liability for accrued payable compensatory leave at June 30, 2014, is estimated to be \$8,043, which is recorded as liability in the government-wide financial statements.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued):

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting periods. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Fund Balance Classification Policies and Procedures

GASB 54 requires fund balances to be categorized as nonspendable, restricted, committed, assigned, and unassigned. Nonspendable fund balance includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either not in spendable form or legally or contractually required to be maintained intact. Amounts that are restricted are those in which constraints have been placed on the use of the resource. Committed fund balances are those amounts that can only be used for a specific purpose pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the Board of Commissioners. Assigned amounts are those that are constrained by management and the governing body, intended for a specific purpose, and not imposed by formal actions. Unassigned fund balance is a residual classification for those amounts not restricted, committed, or assigned.

NOTE 2. JUDGEMENTS, CLAIMS, AND SIMILAR CONTIGENCIES:

The Levee District is a defendant in several lawsuits involving disputed land ownership and right-of-way. In the opinion of legal counsel for the Levee District, the probability of an adverse/unfavorable outcome is unclear and no estimate of the amount or range of loss is possible at this time.

NOTE 3. PENSION PLAN:

Substantially, all employees of the Levee District are members of the Louisiana State Employees Retirement System (LASERS), a cost-sharing, multi-employer public employee retirement system. LASERS is a statewide public retirement system, which is organized for the purpose of providing retirement and other benefits for employees of the state and its various departments and agencies and their beneficiaries, and is administered and controlled by a separate Board of Trustees. Contributions of participating state agencies are pooled within LASERS to fund accrued benefits, with contribution rates approved by the Louisiana Legislature.

All full-time Levee District employees are eligible to participate in LASERS. Benefits vest with ten years of service. At retirement age, employees are entitled to annual benefits equal to \$300 plus 2.5% of their highest consecutive 36 months' average salary multiplied by their years of credited service. Vested employees are entitled to a retirement benefit payable monthly for life at (a) any age with 30 years of service, (b) age 55 with 25 years of service, or (c) age 60 with 10 years of service. In addition, vested employees have the option of reduced benefits at any age with 20 years of service. LASERS also provides death and disability benefits. Benefits are established by state statute. LASERS issues an annual publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained by writing to the Louisiana State Employees Retirement System, Post Office Box 44213, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804, or by calling (225) 922-0600.

NOTE 3. PENSION PLAN (continued):

Covered employees are required by state statute to contribute 7.5% of gross salary (8% if hired after July 1, 2006) and the Levee District is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The contribution rate for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014, was 29.1% of covered payroll; for June 30, 2012, was 25.6% of covered payroll; and for June 30, 2011, it was 22%. The contribution requirements of plan members and the Levee District are established and may be amended by state stature. As provided by R.S. 11:102, the employer contributions are determined by an actuarial valuation and are subject to change each year based on the results of the valuation from the prior fiscal year. The South Lafourche Levee District contributions to LASERS for the years ended June 30, 2014, 2012, and 2011 were \$203,224, \$166,048 and \$136,623, respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year.

NOTE 4. PER DIEM PAID BOARD MEMBERS:

Per diem payments are presented on Schedule IV. The per diem payments are authorized by Louisiana Revised Statute 38:308.

NOTE 5. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT:

At June 30, 2014, the Levee District reported the following capital assets valued at historical cost. A summary of changes in capital assets is as follows:

NOTE 5. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT (CONTINUED):

	June 30, 2013	Adjustments	Additions	Deletions	June 30, 2014	
Assets not being depreciated:		·	******			
Land	\$ 627,973	\$ - \$	- \$		\$ 627,973	
Leon Theriot Lock	-	-	-	-	-	
Total not depreciated	627,973	_	_	_	627,973	
Assets being depreciated						
Buildings	368,954	-	-	-	368,954	
Equipment	1,317,505	-	22,447	22,847	1,317,105	
Leon Theriot Lock	27,508,098	-	-	-	27,508,098	
Pump Station No. 1	3,239,585	~	-	-	3,239,585	
Pump Station No. 8	700,953	-	-	-	700,953	
Pump Station No. 2	3,692,087	-	_	-	3,692,087	
Pump Station No. 6	5,060,286	-	-	-	5,060,286	
Pump Station No. 4	3,544,102	-	-	-	3,544,102	
Pump Station No. 7	2,902,317	_	_		2,902,317	
Total assets being depriciated	48,333,887	-	22,447	22,847	48,333,487	
Total Capital Assets	48,961,860	-	22,447	22,847	48,961,460	
Accumulated Depreciation:						
Buildings	150,352	-	9,222	-	159,574	
Equipment	959,610	-	123,403	22,847	1,060,166	
Leon Theriot Lock	2,433,895	-	687,702	-	3,121,597	
Pump Station No. 1	2,338,374	•	80,990	-	2,419,364	
Pump Station No. 8	595,808	-	17,524	-	613,332	
Pump Station No. 2	2,307,556	-	92,302	-	2,399,858	
Pump Station No. 6	2,277,132	<u></u>	126,507	-	2,403,639	
Pump Station No. 4	1,332,974	-	90,625	-	1,423,599	
Pump Station No. 7	1,088,367	_	7 2 ,558	-	1,160,925	
Total Accumulated depreciation	13,484,068	-	1,300,833	22,847	14,762,054	
Total Capital Assets, net	\$ 35,477,792	\$ -	(1,278,386) \$	_	34,199,406	

Depreciation expense amounted to \$1,300,833 for the year ended June 30, 2014.

NOTE 6. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS:

The Levee District issued \$7,000,000 of Revenue Bonds (Series 2006) during the year ended June 30, 2006. The proceeds from the bonds is for constructing and maintaining necessary levees, levee drainage, flood protection, hurricane flood protection and all other purposes incidental thereto. The following is a summary of the levee improvement bond transactions for the Levee District for the year ended June 30, 2014:

2006 Bond Issue:

Date of Issue	Jui	ne 26, 2006
Original Issue	\$	7,000,000
Outstanding, June 30, 2014	\$	2,955,000
Redeemed in 2013-14	\$	635,000
Interest Rates		4.23%
Maturity Dates	:	2014 – 2018

The bonds are secured by and payable in principal and interest solely by a pledge and dedication of the excess of annual revenues of the issuer above statutory, necessary and usual charges in each of the fiscal years during which the bonds are outstanding.

The bonds maturing March 1, 2009, and thereafter will be callable for redemption by the Levee District at any time on or after March 1, 2007, in whole or in part, and if less than a full maturity, then by lot within such maturity, at the principal amount thereof, and accrued interest to the date fixed for redemption.

Scheduled debt service payments, including interest, on the bonds are as follows:

	<u>Principal</u>	<u>interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2015	675,000	69,442	744,442
2016	715,000	53,580	768,580
2017	760,000	36,778	796,778
2018	<u>805,000</u>	18,917	823,917
	\$ 2,955,000	<u>\$ 178,717</u>	\$ 3,133,717

NOTE 6. LONG TERM OBLIGATIONS (continued):

Changes in Long-Term Liabilities

A summary of changes in long-term liabilities follows:

											An	nounts due
	Ju	ıly 1, 2013	Α	dditions	D	eletions	Adj	ustments	Ju	ne 30, 2014	with	in one year
Bonds Payable	\$	3,590,000	\$	-	\$	(635,000)	\$	-	\$	2,955,000	\$	675,000
OPEB Payable Compensated		1,101,911		124,765		-		-		1,226,676		-
Absences		121,559		(15,553)		0		0		106,006		26,502
	\$	4,813,470	\$	109,212	\$	(635,000)	\$	-	\$	4,287,682	\$	701,502

NOTE 7. DEPOSITS IN FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS:

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The carrying amounts of the Levee District's deposits are as follows for the year ended June 30, 2014:

General Fund:

Demand deposits \$ 1,356,599
Certificates of deposit _____
Total general fund \$ 1,356,599

Capital projects fund:

Demand deposits \$91,616

Total capital projects fund \$91,616

Cash and cash equivalents are stated at cost, which approximates market.

Custodial credit risk

Under State law, deposits must be secured by federal deposit insurance or the pledge of securities owned by the fiscal agent bank. The market value of the pledged securities plus the federal deposit insurance must at all times equal the amount on deposit with the fiscal agent. These pledged securities are held in the name of the pledging fiscal agent bank in a holding or custodial bank in the form of safekeeping receipts held by the State Treasurer.

At June 30, 2014, the Levee District has \$1,662,425 in bank balances for cash deposits which is not necessarily equal to the balance sheet cash balance due to outstanding items. \$500,000 of the bank balances are covered by FDIC Insurance, the remaining \$1,162,425 of deposits are secured with pledged securities held by the Levee District's agent in South Lafourche Levee District's name.

NOTE 8. INVESTMENTS:

Investments are stated at fair value. The Levee District investment policy states that it shall invest using the Prudent-Person Rule. The Prudent-Person Rule states that the Board shall act with care, skill, prudence and diligence under the circumstances prevailing that a prudent institutional investor acting in like capacity and familiar with such matters should use in the conduct of an enterprise of a like character and with like aims.

Investments held at June 30, 2014, consist of \$14,041,064 in LAMP and certificates of deposit at financial institutions in the amount of \$5,500,000.

LAMP is administered by LAMP, Inc., a non-profit corporation organized under the laws of the State of Louisiana. Only local government entities having contracted to participate in LAMP have an investment interest in its pool of assets. The primary objective of LAMP is to provide a safe environment for the placement of public funds in short-term, high quality investments. The LAMP portfolio includes only securities and obligations in which local governments in Louisiana are authorized to invest in accordance with LSA – R.S. 33:2955. LAMP investment guidelines and historical information are available on its website www.lamppool.com or can be obtained by phoning (504) 525-LAMP.

LAMP is a 2a7 like investment pool. The following facts are relevant for 2a7 like investment pools as they relate to FASB Statement No. 40: <u>Credit Risk</u>: LAMP is rated AAA by Standard & Poor's; <u>Custodial Credit Risk</u>: LAMP participants' investments in the pool are evidenced by shares of the pool. Investments in the pool are not categorized in the three risk categories provided by GASB because the investment are in a pool of funds; and therefore, not evidenced by securities that exist in physical or book entry form; <u>Concentration of credit risk</u>: Pooled investments are excluded from the 5% disclosure requirement; <u>Interest rate risk</u>: 2a7 like investment pools are excluded from this disclosure requirement; <u>Foreign currency risk</u>: Not applicable to 2a7 like pools.

The dollar weighted average portfolio maturity of LAMP assets is restricted to not more than 90 days, and consists of no securities with a maturity in excess of 397 days. LAMP is designed to be highly liquid to give its participants immediate access to their account balances. The investments in LAMP are stated at fair value based on quoted market rates. The fair value is determined on a weekly basis by LAMP, and the value of the position in the external investment pool is the same as the value of the pool shares. LAMP, Inc. is subject to the regulatory oversight of the State Treasurer and the Board of Directors. LAMP is not registered with the SEC as an investment company.

Custodial credit risk

GASB Statement 40 amended GASB Statement 3 to eliminate the requirement to disclose all investments by three categories of risk. GASB Statement 40 requires only the separate disclosure of investments that are considered to be exposed to custodial credit risk. Those investments exposed to custodial credit risk are reported by type in one of two separate columns depending upon whether they are held by a counterparty, or held by a counterparty's trust department or agent not in the entity's name. In addition, the total reported amount and fair value columns still must be reported for total investments regardless of exposure to custodial credit risk. All securities held at June 30, 2014, are held in the trust department of a custodial bank selected by the Levee District.

NOTE 8. INVESTMENTS (continued):

Investments at June 30, 2014, are comprised of:

	<u>Fund</u>	Carrying <u>Amount</u>	Market Value
Type of Investment			
Certificate of			
deposit at banks	\$ -	\$ 5,500,000	\$ 5,500,000
LAMP	14,041,064	14,041,064	14,041,064
Gov't securities			
TOTALS	\$ 14,041,064	\$ 19,541,064	\$ 19,541,064

Concentration of credit risk

Concentration of credit risk is defined as the risk of loss attributed to the magnitude of the Levee District's investment in a single issuer.

The investment policy allows for the Finance Committee and General Manager to determine allocations to LAMP and certificates of deposit based on current market factors and financial conditions. There is no dollar or percentage limit to LAMP allocations; whereas, time certificates of deposit of six-month and twelve-month renewals are limited to an amount of \$500,000 to \$1,500,000. As of June 30, 2014, there were no investments that exceeded the Levee District's concentration of credit risk investment policy.

Credit risk

Credit risk is defined as the risk that an insurer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations. See discussion above regarding the LAMP investment guidelines. The certificates of deposit held by the Levee District are not rated. Obligations guaranteed or implicitly guaranteed by the U. S. Government are not considered to have credit risk and are therefore not rated. The Levee District has formal policy regarding credit risk.

Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is defined as the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. The Levee District has no formal policy regarding interest rate risk. All of the Levee District's investments have maturities of less than one year.

NOTE 9. POSTRETIREMENT HEALTH CARE AND LIFE INSURANCE BENEFITS:

Plan description

Louisiana State employees may participate in the State's Other Post-employment Benefit Plan (OPEB Plan), an agent multiple-employer defined benefit OPEB Plan that provides medical and life insurance to eligible active employees, retirees and their beneficiaries. The Office of Group Benefits administers the plan. LRS 42:801-883 provides the authority to establish and amend benefit provisions of the plan. The Office of Group Benefits does not issue a publicly available financial report of the OPEB Plan; however, it is included in Louisiana Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR).

You may obtain a copy of the CAFR on the Office of Statewide Reporting and Accounting Policy's website at www.doa.la.gov/osrap.

Funding Policy

The plan is currently financed on a pay-as-you-go basis. The contribution requirements of plant member and the Board are established and may be amended by LRS 42:801-883. Employees do not contribute to their postemployment benefits cost until they become retirees and begin receiving those benefits. The retirees contribute to the cost of retiree healthcare based on a service schedule. Contribution amounts vary depending on what healthcare provider is selected from the plan and if the member has Medicare coverage.

Annual OPEB Cost

The Levee District's Annual Required Contribution (ARC) is an amount actuarially determined in accordance with GASB 45. The ARC represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, would cover normal cost each year and amortize any unfunded actuarial liabilities over a period not to exceed thirty years. A level percentage of payroll amortization method, open period, was used. The total ARC for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014, is \$126,000.

The following table presents the Levee District's OPEB Obligation for the fiscal year 2014:

Annual required contribution	\$ 126,000
Interest on Net OPEM Obligation	44,100
ARC Adjustment	 (42,100)
OPEB Cost	128,000
Contributions made (retiree cost)	3,235
Change in Net OPEB Obligation July 1, 2012	124,765
Ending Net OPEB Obligation June 30, 2014	 1,101,911
	\$ <u>1,226,676</u>

NOTE 9. POSTRETIREMENT HEALTH CARE AND LIFE INSURANCE BENEFITS (continued):

Utilizing the pay-as-you-go method, the Levee District contributed 2.59% and 2.84% of the annual post-employment benefits cost during 2014 and 2013, respectively.

Funded Status and Funding Progress

During the year ended June 30, 2014, the Levee District made contributions of \$3,235 to its OPEB trust. A trust was established with an effective date of July 1, 2008, but was not funded at all, has no assets, and hence has a funded ratio of zero. Since the plan was not funded, the entire actuarial accrued liability of \$1,061,200 was unfunded.

The funded status of the plan as of July 1, 2012, was as follows:

Actuarial accrued liability (AAL)	\$ 1,150,800
Actuarial value of plan assets	 0
Unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL)	1,150,800
Funded ratio (actuarial value of plan assets/AAL)	0%
Covered payroll (annual payroll of active employee covered by the plan)	\$ 643,800
UAAL as a percentage of covered payroll	178.75%

Actuarial Methods of Assumptions

Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumptions about future employment, mortality, and the healthcare cost trend. Amounts determined regarding the funded status of the plan and the annual required contributions of the employer are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future. The schedule of funding progress, presented as required supplementary information following the notes to the financial statements, presents multi-year trend information that shows whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liabilities for benefits.

Projection of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the substantive plan (the plan as understood by the employer and plan members) and include the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing of benefit costs between the employer and plan member to that point. The actuarial methods and assumptions used include techniques that are designed to reduce short-term volatility in actuarial accrued liabilities consistent with the long-term perspective of the calculations.

In the July 1, 2013, actuarial valuation, the projected unit credit actuarial cost method was used. The actuarial assumptions included a 4.0% investment rate of return (net of administrative expenses) and initial annual healthcare cost trend rate of 8.0% and 6.0% for pre-Medicare and Medicare eligible, respectively, scaling down to ultimate rates of 4.5% per year. The Levee District's unfunded actuarial accrued liability is being amortized as a level percentage of payroll on an open basis. The remaining amortization period at June 30, 2014, was thirty years.

NOTE 10. COOPERATIVE ENDEAVOR AGREEMENTS:

On August 2010, the Levee District signed a Cooperative Endeavor Agreement with the North Lafourche Conservation, Levee and Drainage District, and the Terrebonne Levee and Conservation District to provide flood protection to Lafourche and Terrebonne Parishes where there is a need to work across parish, district and other political boundaries and a need for the pooling of resources between these three districts to achieve mutually beneficial goals. Projects shall require a supplemental agreement to this Cooperative Endeavor Agreement executed by each party's authorized representative.

Amendment No. 1 - Point Aux Chenes Tie In Levee Project, Phase 2 Amendment No. 2 - Point Aux Chenes Tie In Levee Project, Phase 1

Amendment No. 3 – Permitting and environmental clearance for Morganza to the Gulf Reaches K & L in Lafourche Parish, Louisiana

NOTE 11. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES:

The Levee District has three open contracts for flood protection as of June 30, 2014. The total commitment under these contract is \$19,501,110. Through June 30, 2014, the Levee District has been billed \$11,876,940 leaving a remaining commitment of \$7,624,170. Retainage under these contracts amounted to \$625,679 and the Levee District owed the contractors \$1,072,426 as of June 30, 2014.

NOTE 12. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS:

Management has evaluated events through September 29, 2014, the date which the financial statements were available for issue. There were no items to be reported as subsequent events.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULES - PART II

SCHEDULE 1 STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL GENERAL FUND FOR THE YEAR END JUNE 30, 2014

	Or	iginal Budget	Final	Budget	Actual		Variance Favorable nfavorable)
REVENUES		<u> </u>				`	
Taxes	\$	10,178,686	\$	13,042,490	\$ 13,189,632	\$	147,142
Intergovernmental Reveneues		4,551,300		3,229,953	51,244		(3,178,709)
Investment Income		34,000		16,651	22,796		6,145
Other Revenues		1,370,116		325,698	367,994		42,296
Total Revenues		16,134,102		16,614,792	 13,631,666		(2,983,126)
EXPENDITURES							
Current							
Public safety-flood protection							
Personal Services		956,850		1,138,852	1,119,153		19,699
Related Benefits		740,000		526,350	415,540		110,810
Travel		21,700		34,000	35,161		(1,161)
Professional Services		183,000		172,000	159,128		12,872
Operating Services and Supplies		1,670,130		1,260,550	660,255		600,295
Other		1,003,386		934,036	915,713		18,323
Capital Outlay		89,000		6,000	22,447		(16,447)
Total Expenditures		4,664,066		4,071,788	 3,327,397		744,391
Excess of revenues over expenditures		11,470,036		12,543,004	10,304,269		(2,238,735)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)							
Operating Transfer In		-		-	-		-
Operating Transfers Out		(33,470,036)		(32,791,139)	(7,966,040)		24,825,099
Total other financing sources (uses)		(33,470,036)		(32,791,139)	(7,966,040)		24,825,099
Excess of revenues and other financing sources over expenses and other financing uses		(22,000,000)		(20,248,135)	2,338,229		22,586,364
Fund balances - beginning of year		22,000,000		20,248,135	20,248,135		_
Fund balances - end of year	\$	**	\$	_	\$ 22,586,364	\$	22,586,364

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

SCHEDULE II

BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL DEBT SERVICE AND CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014

		5 1 6 1 5						
	Debt Service F		ına	Variance	Capital Project Fund			
	Original	Final		Favorable	Original	Final		Variance Favorable
REVENUES	Budget	Budget	Actual	(Unfavorable)	Budget	Budget	Actual	(Unfavorable)
Intergovernmental Revenues	\$ - \$	- \$		\$ -	\$ -	\$ - :	\$ 3,520,260	\$ 3,520,260
Interest on Investments	-	-	-	-	1,086	1,775	1,662	(113)
Other		-	-	<u>-</u>		-	40,146	40,146
Total revenues	-	-	<u>-</u>	-	1,086	1,775	3,562,068	3,560,293
EXPENDITURES								
Capital Outlay	-	-	-	-	35,471,122	32,661,121	11,675,055	20,986,066
Principal	635,000	635,000	635,000	-	-	-	-	_
Interest	84,615	84,615	84,615	-	-	-	-	-
Paying Agent Fees		-	-	-	+	-	-	-
Total expenditures	719,615	719,615	719,615	-	35,471,122	32,661,121	11,675,055	20,986,066
Excess (deficeincy) of revenues over expenditures	(719,615)	(719,615)	(719,615)		(35,470,036)	(32,659,346)	(8,112,987)	24,546,359
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES								
Operating Transfers In	719,615	719,615	719,615	-	33,470,036	32,791,139	7,246,425	(25,544,714)
Operating Transfers Out	_	_	-		_	-	_	_
Total other financing sources (uses)	719,615	719,615	719,615	-	33,470,036	32,791,139	7,246,425	(25,544,714)
Excess (deficeincy) of revenues and other financing sources over expenses and other financing uses	-	-	-	-	(2,000,000)	131,793	(866,562)	(998,355)
Funds balances - beginning of year	_	-	-	-	2,000,000	(131,793)	(134,793)	
Funds balance - end of year	\$ - \$	- \$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (1,001,355)	

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

SCHEDULE III SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014

Required Supplementary Information Schedule of Funding Progress for Louisiana's State OPEB Plan

		Actua	ial						
		Accru	ed		r-a-sec				UAAL as a
Actuarial	Actuarial	Liability	(AAL)						Percentage of
Valuation	Value of	Projected	d Unit	U	nfunded	Funded		Covered	Covered
Date	Assets	Cos	t	AA	AL (UAAL)	Ratio	Payroll		Payroll
7/1/2010	\$ -	\$ 1,43	2,400	\$	1,432,400	0.00%	\$	597,100	239.89%
7/1/2011	\$ -	\$ 1,10	8,100	\$	1,108,100	0.00%	\$	650,200	170.42%
7/1/2012	\$ -	\$ 1,06	1,200	\$	1,061,200	0.00%	\$	618,000	171.72%
7/1/2013	\$ -	\$ 1,15	0,800	\$	1,150,800	0.00%	\$	643,800	178.75%

OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE IV PER DIEM PAID BOARD MEMBERS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014

The schedule of per diem paid to board members of the Levee District is presented in compliance with House Concurrent Resolution No. 54 of the 1979 Session of the Louisiana Legislature. Per diem payments are authorized by Louisiana Revised Statute 38:308 and are included in the general administrative expenditures of the General Fund. Board members are paid \$75 per meeting for up to 36 meetings each year, except the Board President who receives a per diem of \$1,000 per month.

	NUMBER OF	
	<u>MEETINGS</u>	AMOUNT
Lula Auenson	12	\$ 900
Ronald Callais	17	1,275
Brent Duet	14	1,050
Robert Eymard, Sr.	14	1,050
Bob Faulk	12	900
Mitch Danos	12	900
Ray Mayet	15	1,125
Monty Vegas	13	975
CJ Marts	<u>11</u>	<u>825</u>
Total	<u>113</u>	\$ 9,000

SCHEDULE V STATE REVENUE SHARING FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014

State Revenue Sharing

\$51,244



Independent Auditors' Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other

Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with

Government Auditing Standards

Board of Levee Commissioners of the South Lafourche Levee District State of Louisiana Galliano, Louisiana

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the Unites States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of the South Lafourche Levee District (the "Levee District"), a component unit of the State of Louisiana, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2014, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Levee District's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated September 29, 2014.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Levee District's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Levee District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Levee District's internal control.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect, and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statement will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or, significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Levee District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of

our tests disclosed no instances on noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of the audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Lake Charles, Louisiana

Loussay and Company

September 29, 2014

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT STATE OF LOUISIANA SCHEDULE OF FINDING AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of the Board of Levee Commissioners of the South Lafourche Levee District ("the Levee District") as of and for the year ended June 30, 2014, and have issued our report thereon dated September 29, 2014. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our audit of the financial statements as of June 30, 2014 resulted in an unmodified opinion.

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a. Report on Internal control and compliance Material to the Financial Statements:

Internal Control:

Material Weakness – NO Significant Deficiency – NO Other Conditions – NO

Compliance:

Compliance Material to the Financial Statements - NO

b. Federal Awards:

Not applicable.

<u>Section II – Financial Statement Findings</u>

Not applicable.

Section III - Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs

Not applicable.

<u>Section IV – Management Letter</u>

A management letter was not issued in connection with the audit for the year ended June 30, 2014.

DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATION REPORTING PACKET – ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

South Lafourche Levee District STATE OF LOUISIANA Annual Financial Statements June 30, 2014

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The Appendices Packet is located as a separate packet on OSRAP's website at http://www.doa.louisiana.gov/OSRAP/afrpackets.htm.

Schedule Number

STATE OF LOUISIANA Annual Financial Statements Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2014

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Personally came and appeared before the undersigned authority, Windell A. Curole (Name) General Manager (Title) of South Lafourche Levee District (Agency) who duly sworn, deposes and says, that the financial statements herewith given present fairly the financial position of South Lafourche Levee District (agency) at June 30, 2014 and the results of operations for the year then ended in accordance with policies and practices established by the Division of Administration or in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. Sworn and subscribed before me, this 13th day of August, 2014

Windell & Some
Signature of Agency Official
Canoner Manage
Prepared by: MIKE DefALCO
Title: INDEPENDENT ANDITOR
Telephone No.: 337-439 -6600
Date: 8/13/14
Email: MIKE. DEFALCOOBC - CPA, COM

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITY AFR PACKET

Please use the following matrix to determine if your entity should prepare the MD&A or the Statement of Activities. To use the matrix, find your entity in the chart (in alphabetical order by fund type) then follow the "X" across. An "X" indicates that the applicable statement or schedule should be completed and included in your entity's AFR. If you are unable to locate your entity on the matrix, contact OSRAP for further instructions.

Note: If your entity is identified as an internal service fund on the matrix, <u>do not</u> complete Note J(2) Schedule B for LEAF Capital Leases. You should complete all other applicable sections of Note J.

BTA Matrix FYE6/30/2014		Statement SOA
	MD&A	p. re JC1
Laterprise Funds:		
Addictive Decider Regulatory Authority		x . \
Barbers Examiners Board		x
Board of Examiners of Certified Shorthand Reporters	3564	x
Board of Examiners of Nursing Facilities Administrators	1447	x
Browns field Cleanup Revolving Fund		x
Chiropractic Examiners Board	1000	×
Clean Water State Revolving Fund		х .
Crawfith Promotion and Research Board		x x
Dairy industry Promotion Board		x
Donald J Thibodeaux Training Academy		' x
Drinking Water Revolving Loan Fund		x
Federal Property Assistance	1	x -
LA Coastal Protection & Restoration Financing Corporation		x
Licensed Professional Counselors Board of Examiners		- х
Louisiana Agricultural Finance Authority		X ·
Louisiana Animal Walfare Commission		x
Louis in as Austioneers Licensing Board	\$3.50°	X.
Louisiana Behavioral Analyst Board	3.24	X.
Louis iana Board of Architectural Examiners	34.00	X
Louis and Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology	10.00	* X
Louis iana Board of Examiners in Dieletics and Nutrition		x X
Louis iana Board of Interior Designam	1733	x
Louisians Board of Massage Therapy	200	X
Louis iana Board of Pharmacy		x
Louisians Board of Professional Geoscientist		х
Louis in us Board of Wholes ale Drug Distributors		x .
Louis inna Cathoh Promotion and Research Board		х

BTA Matrix FYE 6/30/ 2014	- - Vinda I maaa	Statement SOA
Euserprise Fands:	-	
Louis iana Cemetery Board	i	X
·		
Louis ana Community and Technical Colleges System		X
Louisiana Gulf Opportunity Zone Loan Fund		X
Louis inna Licensed Professional Vocational Rehabilitation Counselors Board		X
Louisiana Physical Therapy Board		x
Louisiana Professional Engineering & Land Surveying Board		x
Louis iana Property Assistance Agency		X
Louisiana Real Estate Appraisers State Board of Certification		x
Louisiana Real Estate Commission		х
Louis iana Rice Promotion Board	No.	X
Louisiana Rice Research Board		X
Louis ana Soybean and Grain Research and Promotion Board	3 7	X
Louis and State Board for Hearing Aid Dealers		,X
Louis inna State Board of Dentistry	1 1	x
Louis ana State Board of Electrolys is Examiners	1	X X
Louis inna State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors		X X
Louis iana State Board of Examiners for Sanitarians		
Louis in a State Board of Medical Examiners		X
Louis inna State Board of Nursing		X X
Louis and State Board of Optometry Examiners		x
Louis iana State Board of Practical Nurse Examiners		X.
Louis iana State Board of Social Workers Examiners	3 3 7	X
Louis inna State Polygraph Board		x
Louis iana Strawberry Marketing Board		x
Louisiana Sweet Potato Advertising and Development Commission		x x
Louis ia na (Taix Free Shopping Commission		•
Louis and Transportation Authority		X
Prison Enterprises		x
Radio logic Technology Board of Examiners State Board of Certified Public Accountants of Louis ians		x.
State Board of Examiners of Psychologists		x
State Board of Veterinary Medicine		x
State Boxing and Wrestling Commission	VCaral 1	x
Unemployment Trust Fund – Louisiana Workforce Commission		x
Most a second se		
hiernal Service Funds:	MARITAN I	
Louis inna Correctional Facilities Corporation		
Louis iana Office Building Corporation		
Office Facilities Corporation		-
Office of Aircraft Services		
Office of Telecommunications Management		-
Directe te Go.mps.nent Units Acadena Area Human Services District	1, 2, 8, 8 1, 2, 8, 8	·
Algiers Park Commission	1000	x
Agers Park Commission Ascension St. James Airport and Transportation Authority	x	x
Atchafalaya Basin Levee District	x	x
Bayou D'Arbonne Lake Watershed District	X.	x
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Discrete Component Calls;		r ™ V iit
Bossier Levee District		1 ^ 1
Burches Bend Protection District	X	. X
Caddo Leyee District	(1) X (2)	X
Capitel Area Human Services District	X	X
Central Louisiana Human Service Authority	,∴X**	×
Emest N. Monial New Orleans Exhibition Hall Authority	X.X.	x
Fifth Louisiana Levee District	X	×
Florida Perishes Human Services Authority		x l
Foundation for Excellence in Louisiana Public Broadcasting	X	l â l
Grand Isle Levee District Greater Baton Rouge Port Commission	x	x I
Greater New Orleans Expressway Commission	x	x
Imperial Calcuster Human Service Authority	X	x
Jeffer son Parish Human Services Authority	₹ x	x
Lafitte Area Independent Levee District	(A) X (A)	×
Lefourche Basin Levee District	3 X S	X X
Louisima Beef Industry Council		
La Cancer Research Center of LSU HSC in NO/Tulane Health Sciences Ctr.	X	X
Louisiana Board of Cosmetology		×
Louisiana Citizena Property Insurance Corporation	l X	x
Louisiana Economic Development Corporation	(F.X 24)	×
Louisiana Egg Commission	100	<u>x</u>
Louisiana Housing Corporation	1 / 5/20/3	X I
Louisiana Lettery Corporation	X	x x
Louisana Motor Vehicle Commission		
Louisiana Public Facilities Authority	X.X.C.	X
Louisiana Studium and Exposition District	1 2 2	
Louisiana State Board of Private Investigators Examiners Louisiana State Board of Private Security Examiners	(4)	🕏
Louisiana Utilities Restoration Corporation	X.	x
Metropolitan Human Services Authority		x 1
Natchtoches Historic District Development Commission		, ∈ X .
Natch to ches Levee and Drainage District	X	x
Nineteenth Louisiana Levee District	××	x
North Bossier Levee and Drainage District	1.45	
North Lafourche Conservation, Levee and Drainage District	X	` x
Northeast Delta Human Services Authority	1.50	x
Northwest Louisians Human Service Authority	, X	X
Outchita Expressway Authority	10 X 3	X
Poncher train Levee District	I X	X I
Red River Levee and Drainage District	X iii	X X
Red River, Atchafa by and Bayou Bouef Levee District		x
Relay Administration Board Read Home Corporation d/b/a Louisiana Land Trust	×	x
Sahine River Authority	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	x i
South Central Louisiana Human Services Authority		x x
South Lafburche Levee District	©x∑	x
Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority - East	(X)	x .
Southeast Louisiana Flood Protection Authority - West Bank State Plumbing Board of Louisiana		x x
Tensas Basin Levee District	, X.,	×
Terrebonne Levee and Corservation District	X /	x

MD&A = Management's Decussion and Analysis

SOA (C) = Statement of Activities (Statement C)

STATE OF LOUISIANA SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA) MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS AS OF JUNE 30, 2014

Please refer to the Management's Discussion and Analysis of the South Lafourche Levee District on pages 3 through 6 of the attached financial statements.

STATE OF LOUISIANA SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA) STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AS OF JUNE 30, 2014

CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and Cash equivalents	\$	1,448,215
Restricted Cash and Cash Equivalents		
Investments (LAMP)		14,041,064
Instruments (Certificates of Deposit)	••••	5,500,000
Receivables (net of allowance for doubtful accounts)(Note U)	-	2,630,403
Due from other funds (Note Y)		
Due from federal government	********	
Inventories		
Prepayments	***************************************	
Notes Receivable		
Other Current Assets		13,508
Total current assets		23,633,190
NONCURRENT ASSETS		20,000,250
Restricted assets (Note F):		
Cash		
Investments		
Receivables	,	
Investments		
Notes Receivable	1	
Captial assets, net of depreciation (Note D)		
Land non-depreciable easements		627,973
Buildings and improvements		209,380
Machinery and equipment		256,939
Infrastructure	•	33,105,114
Intangible assets	-	55,105,114
Construction/Development-in-progress		
Other noncurrent assets		3,385
Total noncurrent assets		34,202,791
Total assets	\$	57,835,981
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	Φ	31,633,761
	¢	
Accumulated decrease in fair value of hedging derivatives	\$	
Deferred amounts on debt refunding		
Adjustments of capital lease obligations		
Grants paid prior to meeting time requirements		
Intra-entity transfer of future revenues (transferee) Losses from sale-leaseback transactions		
Direct loan origination costs for mortgage loans held for sale		
Fees paid to permanent investors prior to sale of mortgage loans Total deferred outflow of resources	•	
Total assests and deferred outflow of resources	\$ \$	57,835,981
Total assests and deferred outflow of resources	3	37,033,901
LIABILITIES		
CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Accounts payable and accruals (Note V)	\$	277866
Derivative instrument	Φ	277600
Due to other funds (Note Y)		
Due to Gederal government		
Unearmed revenues		75595
Amounts held in custody for others		
Other current liabilities		23022
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STATE OF LOUISIANA SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA) STATEMENT OF NET POSITION AS OF JUNE 30, 2014

Liabilities Con't

Liabilities Con't		
Current portion of long-term liabilities: (Note K)		
Contracts payable	\$	1,698,105
Compensated absences payable		26,502
Capital lease obligations		
Claims and litigation payable		
Notes payable		
Pollution remediation obligation		
Bonds payable (include unamortized costs)		675,000
Other long-term liabilities		
Total current liabilities		2,776,090
NONCURRENT LIABILITIES		
Contracts payable		
Compensated absences payable		79,504
Capital lease obligations		
Claims and litigation payable		
Notes payable	<u></u>	
Pollution remediation obligation	<u> </u>	
Bonds payable (include unamortized costs)		2,280,000
OPEB payable		1,226,676
Other long-term liabilities		
Total noncurrent liabilities		3,586,180
Total liabilities		6,362,270
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES		······································
Accumulated increase in fair value of hedging derivatives	\$	
Deferred amounts related to service concession arrangement		
Deferred amounts of debt refunding		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Adjustments of capital lease oblgations		
Grants received prior to meeting time requirements	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
Property taxes received before the period of which the taxes were levied		
Fines and penalties received in advance of meeting time requirements		* *************************************
Sales/intra-entity transfers of future revenues (transferor)		
Gains from sale-leaseback transactions		
Points received on loan origination		
Loan origination fees received for mortgage loans held for sale		
Total deferred inflows of resources		_
NET POSITION		
Net investment in capital assets		34,199,406
Restricted for:		
Capital projects		
Debt service		
Unemployment compensation		
Other specific purposes		
Unrestricted		17,274,305
Total net position		51,473,711
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and net position	\$	57,835,981

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

STATE OF LOUISIANA SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA) STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014

OPERATING REVENUE		
Intergovernmental revenues	\$	3,571,504
Taxes and royalty income		13,336,723
Use of money and property		24,458
Licenses, permits, and fees		
Federal grants and contracts		
State, local and nongovernmental grants and contracts		
Other		261,049
Total operating revenues		17,193,734
OPERATING EXPENSES		
Administrative		15,112,313
Travel		
Operating Services		***************************************
Supplies	4	
Professional Services		
Capital Projects		
Depreciaiton/Amortization		1,277,987
Total operating expenses		16,390,300
Operating income(loss)		803,434
NON-OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES)		
Taxes		
Interest expense		(79,265)
Intergovernmental revenues		
Rent income		
Oil and gas leases		
Miscellaneous		
Total non-operating revenues(expenses)		(79,265)
Income(loss) before contributions, extraordinary items, & transfers		724,169
Capital contributions		
Extraordinary item		
Transfers in	-	
Transfers out		
Change in net position		724,169
Total net position – beginning		50,749,542
Total net position - ending	\$	51,473,711

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE SIMPLIFIED STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

Expenses - include all expenses, both operating and non-operating.

Program Revenues - include revenues derived from the program itself. These revenues reduce the net cost of the BTA's activities that must be financed from its general revenues. Program revenues should be reported in the following three categories:

Charges for services - include revenues based on exchange or exchange-like transactions. An exchange transaction is one in which each party receives and gives up essentially equal values. These revenues arise from charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from the goods, services, or privileges provided. Revenues in this category include fees charged for specific services.

Operating grants and contributions - revenue arising from mandatory and voluntary nonexchange transactions with other governments, organizations, or individuals that are restricted for use in a particular program and that may be used **either for operating or capital expenses** at the discretion of the BTA. (A non-exchange transaction is one in which an entity gives or receives value without directly receiving or giving equal value in return.)

Capital grants and contributions - revenue arising from mandatory and voluntary nonexchange transactions with other governments, organizations, or individuals that are restricted for use in a particular program and that are restricted for capital purposes only - to purchase, construct, or renovate capital assets associated with a specific program.

Net (Expense) Revenue - program revenues minus expenses.

General Revenues - all revenues are general revenues unless they are specifically required to be reported as program revenues.

Taxes - include all taxes received here, as all are considered general revenues, even those levied for a specific purpose.

State appropriations - include warrants drawn during the fiscal year and the 13th period, plus 14th period if applicable.

Grants and contributions not restricted to specific programs - revenue arising from mandatory and voluntary nonexchange transactions with other governments, organizations, or individuals that are not restricted to a specific program.

Interest - any interest earned that is not required to be reported as program revenue (Earnings on investments legally restricted to use by a specific program should be reported as program revenue).

Miscellaneous - any general revenues that do not specifically fall under one of the categories listed.

Special items - significant items subject to management's control that meets <u>one</u> of the following criteria:

- 1) unusual in nature possessing a high degree of abnormality and clearly unrelated or only incidentally related to the ordinary and typical activities of the entity.
- 2) infrequent in occurrence not reasonably expected to recur in the foreseeable future, taking into account the environment in which the entity operates.

Extraordinary items - are both significant in nature and infrequent in occurrence.

Transfers - all interfund activities involving the flow of resources between funds.

Change in net position - net (expense) revenue plus general revenues and special items.

Net position - beginning - net position at the beginning of the fiscal year.

Net position - ending - beginning net position plus change in net position.

STATE OF LOUISIANA SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA) STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014

					Program Revenue	es	_	Net (Expense)
	_	Expenses	Charges for Services	_	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions		Revenue and Changes in Net Position
Entity	\$	16,469,565	\$	· \$_	3,520,260	\$	= \$ -	(12,949,305)
General rev	venues:							
Taxes	s							13,189,632
Interg	government	tal revenues						51,244
Roya	lties and su	rface leases						147,091
Intere	est							24,458
Misc	ellaneous							261,049
Special iter	ms						•	
Extraordina	ary item							
Transfers							•	
Total	general rev	venues, special it	tems, and transfers				•	13,673,474
	Change	in net assets					•	724,169
Net positio	n - beginni	ng as restated					•	50,749,542
Net positio	n - ending	-					\$	51,473,711

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

STATE OF LOUISIANA SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA)

(continued)

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS 16390 FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014

Cash flows from operating activities		
Cash receipts from customers	\$	
Cash receipts from grants and contracts		
Cash receipts from interfund services provided		
Other operating cash receipts, if any	18,611,038	
Cash payments to suppliers for goods or services	(14,560,470)	
Cash payments to employees for services	(1,833,202)	
Cash payments for interfund services used, including payments	(1,033,202)	
"In Lieu of Taxes"	•	
Other operating cash payments, if any (* provide explanation)		
Net cash provided(used) by operating activities		2,217,366
Cash flows from non-capital financing activities		
Cash receipts of taxes		
State revenue sharing		
Cash receipts of leases		
Cash receipts of oil and gas leases		
Cash receipts of miscellaneous items		
Proceeds from issuance of notes payable		
Principal paid on notes payable		
Interest paid on notes payable		
Operating grants received		
Transfers in		
Transfers out		
Other (**provide explanation)		
Net cash provided(used) by non-capital financing activities		
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities		
Proceeds from sale of bonds		
Principal paid on bonds	(635,000)	
Interest paid on bond maturities	(84,365)	
Proceeds from issuance of notes payable	(01,505)	
Principal paid on notes payable		
Interest paid on notes payable		
Acquisition/construction of capital assets	(22,447)	
Proceeds from sale of capital assets		
Capital contributions		
Deposits with trustees		
Deferred proceeds from capital leases		
Net cash provided(used) by capital and related financing		
activities		(741,812)
Cash flows from investing activities		
Purchases of investment securities	(1,500,000)	
Proceeds from sale of investment securities		
Interest and dividends earned on investment securities	22,092	
Net cash provided(used) by investing activities		(1,477,908)
Net increase(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(2,354)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		1,450,569
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year		\$ 1,448,215

Statement D

STATE OF LOUISIANA SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRCIT (BTA) (concluded)

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014

Reconciliation of operating income(loss) to net cash provided(used) by operating activities:

Operating income(loss)		\$	803,434
Adjustments to reconcile operating income(loss) to net cash			
provided(used) by operating activities:			
Depreciation/amortization	1,27	77,987	
Provision for uncollectible accounts			
Other			
Changes in assets and liabilities:			
(Increase)decrease in accounts receivable, net			
(Increase)decrease in due from other funds			
(Increase)decrease in prepayments	u.		
(Increase)decrease in inventories			
(Increase)decrease in other assets			
Increase(decrease) in accounts payable and accruals	15	51,498	
Increase(decrease) in compensated absences payable	VII.	(5,553)	
Increase(decrease) in due to other funds		· · · · · ·	
Increase(decrease) in deferred revenues			7
Increase(decrease) in OPEB payable			
Increase(decrease) in other liabilities			
Net cash provided(used) by operating activities		\$	2,217,366
Schedule of noncash investing, capital, and financing activities:		<u></u>	
Borrowing under capital lease(s)	\$		
Contributions of fixed assets			
Purchases of equipment on account			
Asset trade-ins			
Other (specify)			
Total noncash investing, capital, and financing activities:	\$		-

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA) STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014

Please provide an explanation of what is included in "other." If there are multiple reasons, please list each out separately along with the amount.
* Other (operating cash payments)
**Other (cash flows from non capital financing activities)
***Other (cash flows from capital and related financing activities)

INTRODUCTION

The South Lafourche Levee District, a component unit of the State of Louisiana, was created by the Louisiana State Legislature under the provisions of Louisiana Revised Statute 38:291. The South Lafourche Levee District primarily provides flood protection of those areas contained in the District. The Board of Commissioners administers the operations and responsibilities of the District in accordance with provisions of Louisiana statute. The members of the Board of Commissions, which governs the District, are appointed by the governor of the State of Louisiana.

A. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

In April of 1984, the Financial Accounting Foundation established the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) to promulgate generally accepted accounting principles and reporting standards with respect to activities and transactions of state and local governmental entities. The GASB has issued a Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards (GASB Codification). This codification and subsequent GASB pronouncements are recognized as generally accepted accounting principles for state and local governments. The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with such principles.

The accompanying financial statements of South Lafourche Levee District (BTA) present information only as to the transactions of the programs of the South Lafourche Levee District (BTA) as authorized by Louisiana statutes and administrative regulations.

Basis of accounting refers to when revenues and expenses are recognized and reported in the financial statements. Basis of accounting relates to the timing of the measurements made, regardless of the measurement focus applied.

The accounts of the South Lafourche Levee District (BTA) are maintained in accordance with applicable statutory provisions and the regulations of the Division of Administration – Office of Statewide Reporting and Accounting Policy as follows:

Revenue Recognition

Revenues are recognized using the full accrual basis of accounting; therefore, revenues are recognized in the accounting period in which they are earned and become measurable.

Expense Recognition

Expenses are recognized on the accrual basis; therefore, expenses, including salaries, are recognized in the period incurred, if measurable.

B. BUDGETARY ACCOUNTING - NOT APPLICABLE

The appropriations made for the operations of the various programs of the South Lafourche Levee District (BTA) are annual lapsing appropriations.

- 1. The budgetary process is an annual appropriation valid for one year.
- 2. The agency is prohibited by statute from over expending the categories established in the budget.
- 3. Budget revisions are granted by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget, a committee of the Louisiana Legislature. Interim emergency appropriations may be granted by the Interim Emergency Board.
- 4. The budgetary information included in the financial statements includes the original appropriation plus subsequent amendments as follows:

	APPROPRIATIONS
Original approved budget	\$
Amendments:	
Final approved budget	\$ _

C. **DEPOSITS WITH FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND INVESTMENTS** (If all agency cash and investments are deposited in the State Treasury, disregard Note C.) See Appendices Packet - Appendix A at http://www.doa.louisiana.gov/OSRAP/afrpackets.htm, for information related to Note C.

1. DEPOSITS WITH FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

For reporting purposes, deposits with financial institutions include savings, demand deposits, time deposits, and certificates of deposit. Under state law the South Lafourche Levee District (BTA) may deposit funds within a fiscal agent bank selected and designated by the Interim Emergency Board. Further, the (BTA) may invest in time certificates of deposit in any bank domiciled or having a branch office in the state of Louisiana, in savings accounts or shares of savings and loan associations and savings banks, and in share accounts and share certificate accounts of federally or state chartered credit unions.

For the purpose of the statement of cash flows and statement of net position presentation, all highly liquid investments (including negotiable CDs and restricted cash and cash equivalents) and deposits (including nonnegotiable CDs and restricted cash and cash equivalents) with a maturity of three months or less when purchased are considered to be cash equivalents.

Deposits in bank accounts are stated at cost, which approximates market. Under state law these deposits must be secured by federal deposit insurance or the pledge of securities owned by the fiscal agent bank. The market value of the pledged securities plus the federal deposit insurance must at all times equal the amount on deposit with the fiscal agent. These pledged securities are required to be held in the name of the pledging fiscal agent bank in a holding or custodial bank in the form of safekeeping receipts held by the State Treasurer.

GASB Statement 40, which amended GASB Statement 3, eliminated the requirement to disclose all deposits by three categories of risk. GASB Statement 40 requires only the disclosure of deposits that are considered to be exposed to custodial credit risk. An entity's deposits are exposed to custodial credit risk if the deposit balances are either 1) uninsured and uncollateralized, 2) uninsured and collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution, or 3) uninsured and collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent, but not in the entity's name.

The deposits at June 30, 2014, consisted of the following:

	_	Cash	Nonnegotiable Certificates of Deposit		Other (Describe)	·····	Total
Deposits per statement of net position							
(Reconciled bank balance)	\$ _	1,448,215	\$	_\$ -		_\$.	1,448,215
Deposits in bank accounts per bank	\$_	1,662,425	\$	_\$ _		_\$	1,662,425
Bank balances exposed to custodial credit risk: a. Uninsured and uncollateralized b. Uninsured and collateralized with securities held by the pledging institution c. Uninsured and collateralized with securities held by the pledging institution's trust department or agent, but not in the entity's	\$		\$	\$		_\$ -	

NOTE: The "Deposits in bank accounts per bank" will not necessarily equal the "Deposits per statement of net position" due to outstanding items.

The following is a breakdown by banking institution, program, and amount of the "Deposits in bank accounts per bank" balances shown above:

Banking Institution	<u>Program</u>	<u>Amount</u>			
State Bank - General Fund	Flood Protection	\$ 999,895			
2. State Bank - Capital Projects	Flood Protection	243,997			
3. Capital One - Payroll	Flood Protection	 418,533			
4		 			
Total		\$ 1,662,425			

Cash in State Treasury and petty cash are not required to be reported in the note disclosure. However, to aid in reconciling amounts reported on the statement of net position to amounts reported in this note, list below any cash in treasury and petty cash that are included on the statement of net position.

Cash in state treasury	\$_	-0-
Petty cash	\$	-0-

2. INVESTMENTS

The South Lafourche Levee District (BTA) does maintain investment accounts as authorized by LSA-RS 33:2955.

Custodial Credit Risk

Investments can be exposed to custodial credit risk if the securities underlying the investment are uninsured, not registered in the name of the entity, and are either held by the counterparty or held by the counterparty's trust department or agent, but not in the entity's name. Repurchase agreements are not subject to credit risk if the securities underlying the repurchase agreement are exempt from credit risk disclosure. Using the following table, list each type of investment disclosing the total carrying amounts and market values, and any amounts exposed to custodial credit risk.

GASB Statement 40 amended GASB Statement 3 to eliminate the requirement to disclose all investments by three categories of risk. GASB Statement 40 requires only the separate disclosure of investments that are considered to be exposed to custodial credit risk. Those investments exposed to custodial credit risk are reported by type in one of two separate columns depending upon whether they are held by a counterparty, or held by a counterparty's trust department or agent not in the entity's name. In addition, the total reported amount and fair value columns still must be reported for total investments regardless of exposure to custodial credit risk.

	nts Exposed	All Investments Regardless of							
	to Custodia	ıl Credit Risk	Custodial Credit F	Risk Exposure					
Type of Investment	Uninsured, *Unregistered, and Held by Counterparty	Uninsured, *Unregistered, and Held by Counterparty's Trust Dept. or Agent Not in Entity's Name	Reported Amount Per Statement of <u>Net Position</u>	Fair <u>Value</u>					
Negotiable CDs	\$	\$	\$ 5,500,000 \$	5,500,000					
Repurchase agreements U.S. Government Obligations ** U.S. Agency Obligations*** Common & preferred stock Mortgages (including CMOs & MBSs) Corporate bonds Mutual funds Real estate External Investment Pool (LAMP) **** External Investment Pool (Other) Other: (identify)			14,041,064	14,041,064					
Total investments	\$	\$	\$ 19,541,064 \$	19,541,064					

^{*} Unregistered - not registered in the name of the government or entity

- 3. CREDIT RISK, INTEREST RATE RISK, CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK, AND FOREIGN CURRENCY RISK DISCLOSURES **NOT APPLICABLE**
- 4. DERIVATIVES (GASB 53) **NOT APPLICABLE**
- 5. POLICIES **NOT APPLICABLE**
- 6. OTHER DISCLOSURES REQUIRED FOR INVESTMENTS **NOT APPLICABLE**

^{**} These obligations generally are not exposed to custodial credit risk because they are backed by the full faith and credit of the U.S. government. (See Appendices Packet, Appendix A, at http://www.doa.louisiana.gov/OSRAP/afrpackets.htm for the definition of US Government Obligations)

^{***} These obligations may not be exposed to custodial credit risk (See Appendix A in the Appendices Packet for a discussion of FNMA & FHLMC)

^{****} LAMP investments should not be included in deposits AND should be identified separately in this table to ensure LAMP investments are not double-counted on the State level.

D. CAPITAL ASSETS - INCLUDING CAPITAL LEASE ASSETS

The fixed assets used in the Special Purpose Government Engaged only in Business-Type Activities are included on the statement of net position of the entity and are capitalized at cost. Depreciation of all exhaustible fixed assets used by the entity is charged as an expense against operations. Depreciation for financial reporting purposes is computed by the straight line method over the useful lives of the assets.

Schedule of Capital Assets (includes capital leases)

Agency		Balance 6/30/2013		Prior Period Adjustments	-	Restated Balance 6/30/2013	_	Additions		* Reclassifi- cation of CIP	_R	** Ketirements	_	Balance 6/30/2014
Capital assets not depreciated: Land	C	627 072	\$		er.	627.072	\$		ď		e.		ď	(27.072
Non-depreciable land improvements	ъ-	627,973	- Ъ-		a _	627,973	» -		ъ-		у		» -	627,973
Non-depreciable easements	_		_		-	<u>-</u>	-		-				-	<u>-</u>
Capitalized collections	_		_		_		-		-				_	
Software - development in progress	_		-		-		-		-		_		-	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Construction in progress	-		-		-	_	-		-		_		-	
Total capital assets not depreciated	\$	627,973	\$		\$ -	627,973	\$	-	\$ -		\$		\$-	627,973
Other capital assets:	=		=		=		=		=		====		=	
Depreciable land improvements	\$		\$		\$	-	\$		\$		\$		\$	-
** Accumulated depreciation			_		_	-	_	······································	-				_	-
Total land improvements	_	-			_	-	_	-		-		-	_	<u> </u>
Buildings		368,954			_	368,954								368,954
** Accumulated depreciation		(150,352)	_		_	(150,352)	_	(9,222)	_				_	(159,574)
Total buildings		218,602	_	-	_	218,602	_	(9,222)	_				_	209,380
Machinery & equipment	_	1,317,505	_		_	1,317,505	_	22,447	_			(22,846)	_	1,317,106
** Accumulated depreciation	_	(959,610)	_		_	(959,610)	_	(100,557)	_			(22.046)	_	(1,060,167)
Total machinery & equipment Infrastructure	_	357,895		-	_	357,895	_	(78,110)				(22,846)	_	256,939
** Accumulated depreciation	_	46,647,428 (12,374,106)	-		-	46,647,428	_	(1 1/0 200)	_				_	46,647,428 (13,542,314)
Total infrastructure	_	34,273,322	-		_	(12,374,106) 34,273,322	_	(1,168,208) (1,168,208)	-				_	33,105,114
Software (internally generated & purchased)	_	34,273,322			_	34,273,322	_	(1,100,200)	-			-	_	33,103,114
Other intangibles			_		-		-		-	-	_		-	
** Accumulated amortization - software			_		-	_	-		-				-	
** Accumulated amortization - other intangib	les –		_		_		-		-		_	**	-	_
Total intangibles	_	-	_	-	-	_	_		-	-			-	
Total other capital assets	\$-	34,849,819	\$		\$	34,849,819	\$	(1,255,540)	\$	-	\$ —	(22,846)	\$	33,571,433
Capital asset summary:	=		=		=	·	=	•	=		_		=	
Capital assets not depreciated	\$_	627,973	\$	_	\$	627,973	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	627,973
Other capital assets, book value	_	48,333,887	_	-	_	48,333,887	_	22,447	_			(22,846)	_	48,333,488
Total cost of capital assets	_	48,961,860	_		_	48,961,860	_	22,447				(22,846)	_	48,961,461
Accumulated depreciation/amortization		(13,484,068)				(13,484,068)		(1,277,987)		_		_		(14,762,055)
Capital assets, net	\$ ₌	35,477,792	\$ =	_	\$ =	35,477,792	\$ =	(1,255,540)	\$ =	-	\$	(22,846)	\$ =	34,199,406

^{*} Should only be used for those completed projects coming out of construction-in-progress to capital assets.

** Enter a negative number except for accumulated depreciation in the retirement column

- E. INVENTORIES NOT APPLICABLE
- F. RESTRICTED ASSETS NOT APPLICABLE
- G. LEAVE
 - 1. COMPENSATED ABSENCES

The South Lafourche Levee District (BTA) has the following policy on annual and sick leave:

District employees, both classified and unclassified, earn and accumulate annual and sick leave at various rates depending on their years of service. The amount of annual and sick leave that may be accumulated by each employee is unlimited. Upon termination, employees or their heirs are compensated for up to 300 hours of unused annual leave at the employee's hourly rate of pay at the time of termination. Upon retirement, unused annual leave in excess of 300 hours plus unused sick leave is used to compute retirement benefits. The cost of leave privileges, computed in accordance with GASB Codification Section C60, is recognized as a current year expenditure in the fund when leave is actually taken; it is recognized in the enterprise funds when the leave is earned. The cost of leave privileges applicable to general government operations not requiring current resources is recorded in long-term obligations.

H. RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Substantially all of the employees of the (BTA) are members of the Louisiana State Employees Retirement System (LASERS), a single employer defined benefit pension plan. The System is a statewide public employee retirement system (PERS) for the benefit of state employees, which is administered and controlled by a separate board of trustees. (Note: If LASERS is not your entity's retirement system, indicate the retirement system that is and replace any wording in this note that doesn't apply to your retirement system with the applicable wording.)

All full-time (BTA) employees are eligible to participate in the System unless they elect to continue as a contributing member in any other retirement system for which they remain eligible for membership. Certain elected officials and officials appointed by the governor may, at their option, become members of LASERS. Normal benefits vest with 10 years of service. Generally, retirement age employees are entitled to annual benefits equal to \$300 plus 2.5% of their highest consecutive 36 months' average salary multiplied by their years of credited service except for members eligible to begin participation in the Defined Benefit Plan (DBP) on or after July 1, 2006. Act 75 of the 2005 Regular Session changes retirement eligibility and final average compensation for members who are eligible to begin participation in the DBP beginning July 1, 2006. Retirement eligibility for these members is limited to age 60, or thereafter, upon attainment of ten years of creditable service. Final

average compensation will be based on the member's average annual earned compensation for the highest 60 consecutive months of employment.

Vested employees eligible to begin participation in the DBP before July 1, 2006, are entitled to a retirement benefit, payable monthly for life at (a) any age with 30 years of service, (b) age 55 with 25 years of service, or (c) age 60 with 10 years of service. In addition, these vested employees have the option of reduced benefits at any age with 20 years of service. Those hired on or after July 1, 2006 have only a single age option. They cannot retire until age 60 with a minimum of 10 years of service. The System also provides death and disability benefits and deferred benefit options, with qualifications and amounts defined by statute. Benefits are established or amended by state statute. The System issues a publicly available annual financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the System. For a full description of the LASERS defined benefit plan, please refer to the LASERS 2013 Financial Statements, specifically, footnotes A – Plan Description and C – Contributions. A copy of the report may be obtained by writing to the Louisiana State Employees Retirement System, Post Office Box 44213, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-4213, or by calling (225) 922-0600 or (800) 256-3000. The footnotes to the Financial Statements contain additional details and are also available on-line at:

http://www.lasersonline.org/uploads/CAFR 2013.pdf

All members are required by state statute to contribute with the vast majority of employees of the state who became members before July 1, 2006 contributing 7.5% of gross salary. Act 75 of the 2005 Regular Session increases the member contribution rate from 7.5% to 8% for new members hired after June 30, 2006. The (BTA) is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate as required by R.S. 11:102. The contribution rate for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014, increased to 29.1% of annual covered payroll from the 25.6% and 22% required in fiscal years ended June 30, 2013 and 2012 respectively. The (BTA) contributions to the System for the years ending June 30, 2014, 2013, and 2012, were \$203,224, \$166,048, and \$136,623, respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year.

OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) I.

GASB Statement 43, Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other Than Pension Plans addresses accounting and financial reporting for OPEB trust and agency funds of the employer. GASB Statement 45, Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits Other than Pensions establishes standards of accounting and financial reporting for OPEB expense/expenditures and related OPEB liabilities or OPEB assets, note disclosures, and required supplementary information (RSI) in the financial reports of governmental employers. See the GASB Statement 45 note disclosures requirements in section 2 of this note.

1. Calculation of Net OPEB Obligation

Complete the following table for only the net OPEB obligation (NOO) related to OPEB administered by the Office of Group Benefits. The ARC, NOO at the beginning of the

year, interest, ARC adjustment, and Annual OPEB Expense have been computed for OGB participants (see OSRAP's website - http://www.doa.louisiana.gov/OSRAP/afrpackets.htm) and select "GASB 45 OPEB Valuation Report as of July 1, 2013, to be used for fiscal year ending June 30, 2014." Report note disclosures for other plans, not administrated by OGB, separately.

Annual OPEB expense and net OPEB Obligation

Fiscal year ending	6/30/2014
1. * ARC	\$126,000.0
2. * Interest on NOO	\$44,100.0
3. * ARC adjustment	\$42,100.0
4. * Annual OPEB Expense (1. + 2 3.)	\$128,000.0
5. Contributions (employer pmts. to OGB for retirees' cost of 2014 insurance premiums)	\$3,235.0
6. Increase in Net OPEB Obligation (4 5.)	\$124,765.0
7. *NOO, beginning of year (see actuarial valuation report on OSRAP's website)	1101911
8. **NOO, end of year (6. + 7.)	1226676

^{*}This must be obtained from the OSRAP website on the spreadsheet "GASB 45 OPEB Valuation Report as of July 1, 2013, to be used for fiscal year ending June 30, 2014."

For more information on calculating the net OPEB obligation, see the Appendices Packet, Appendix D, at http://www.doa.louisiana.gov/OSRAP/afrpackets.htm.

J. LEASES - NOT APPLICABLE

K. LONG-TERM LIABILITIES

The following is a summary of long-term debt transactions of the entity for the year ended June 30, 2014:

^{**}This should be the same amount as that shown on the statement of net position for the year ended June 30, 2014 if your entity's only OPEB is administered by OGB.

STATE OF LOUISIANA SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA) Notes to the Financial Statement

As of and for the year ended June 30, 2014

		Year ended Ju	une	30, 2014			
	Balance					Balance	Amounts
	June 30,					June 30,	due within
	2013	Additions		Reductions		2014	one year
Notes and bonds payable:					_		
Notes payable	\$	\$	\$		\$	-	\$
Bonds payable	3,590,000		_	635,000		2,955,000	 675,000
Total notes and bonds	3,590,000	-	_	635,000		2,955,000	675,000
Other liabilities:							
Contracts payable						-	
Compensated absences payable	121,559			15,553		106,006	26,502
Capital lease obligations						-	
Claims and litigation						-	
Pollution remediation obligation						-	
OPEB payable	1,101,911	124,765				1,226,676	
Other long-term liabilities							
Total other liabilities	1,223,470	124,765		15,553		1,332,682	 26,502
Total long-term liabilities	\$ 4,813,470	\$ 124,765	\$	650,553	\$_	4,287,682	\$ 701,502

(Balances at June 30th should include current and non-current portion of L-T liabilities.) The totals must equal the statement of net position for each type of long-term liabilities.

- L. CONTINGENT LIABILITIES NOT APPLICABLE
- M. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS NOT APPLICABLE
- N. ACCOUNTING CHANGES NOT APPLICABLE
- O. IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS NOT APPLICABLE
- P. DEFEASED ISSUES NOT APPLICABLE
- Q. REVENUES PLEDGED OR SOLD (GASB 48) NOT APPLICABLE
- R. GOVERNMENT-MANDATED NONEXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS (GRANTS) NOT APPLICABLE
- S. VIOLATIONS OF FINANCE-RELATED LEGAL OR CONTRACTUAL PROVISIONS NOT APPLICABLE
- T. SHORT-TERM DEBT NOT APPLICABLE

U. DISAGGREGATION OF RECEIVABLE BALANCES

Receivables at June 30, 2014, were as follows:

Fund (gen. fund, gas tax fund, etc.)	-	Customer Receivables		Taxes	- _# -	Receivables from other Governments	- ф -	Other Receivables		Total Receivables
General Fund	_ ³ -	510	_ > -	1,090,906	- ³ -	708,252	- Ъ.		- ³ -	1,799,668
Capital Fund				_		830,735				830,735
Gross receivables	\$.	510	\$_	1,090,906	_\$_	1,538,987	\$	-	\$_	2,630,403
Less allowance for uncollectible accounts										
Receivables, net	\$	510	\$	1,090,906	\$	1,538,987	\$	-	\$	2,630,403
Amounts not scheduled for collection during the	ď.		 -					· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Φ.	
subsequent year	Э.		_Ֆ.		_ Þ _		_ ֆ_		.⊅_	-

V. DISAGGREGATION OF PAYABLE BALANCES

Payables at June 30, 2014, were as follows:

Salaries

		and		Accrued		Other		Total
Fund	Vendors	Benefits		Interest		Payables		Payables
General Fund	 50,681	\$ 1,584	\$		\$		\$	52,265
Debt Service Fund				23,022	-			
Capital Projects	225,601	 				1,698,105		1,923,706
Total payables	\$ 276,282	\$ 1,584	\$_	23,022	\$	1,698,105	\$_	1,975,971

W. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

These financial statements considered subsequent events through August 29, 2014, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

X. SEGMENT INFORMATION & REPORTING FUNDS OF A BLENDED COMPONENT UNIT – NOT APPLICABLE

Y. DUE TO/DUE FROM AND TRANSFERS - NOT APPLICABLE

Z. LIABILITIES PAYABLE FROM RESTRICTED ASSETS - NOT APPLICABLE

- AA. PRIOR-YEAR RESTATEMENT OF NET POSITION NOT APPLICABLE
- BB. ASSETS RESTRICTED BY ENABLING LEGISLATION (GASB 46) NOT APPLICABLE
- CC. IMPAIRMENT OF CAPITAL ASSETS & INSURANCE RECOVERIES NOT APPLICABLE
- DD. EMPLOYEE TERMINATION BENEFITS NOT APPLICABLE
- EE. POLLUTION REMEDIATION OBLIGATIONS NOT APPLICABLE

<u> </u>	(agency/departmen	ıt)											
GASB 49 Inventory Log FYE 6/30/14				Not applicable									
	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	1	m	n	0	р	q
Project Name	FP&C/DEQ Project Number	Trigger Year	6/30/13 Ending Balance	Increases	Decreases (expenditures) (including accruals)	Decreases (other adjustments)	6/30/14 Ending Balance (including accruals)	Percent Complete	Current Portion of L/T Debt	Non-Current Portion of L/T Debt	Realizable Recoveries	13th Period Expenditures	Notes
Projects Reported @ 6/30/13: b													
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Projects NOT Previously Reported: c													
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Projects Begun after 7/1/13: d							0						
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	Totals		0	0	0	0	0		0_	0	0	0	

Explanations for GASB 49 Worksheet

- a Enter agency/department name
- b List projects reported in the prior fiscal year that had an outstanding liability at 6/30/13
- c List projects that were overlooked or not included as remediation projects in previous fiscal years
- d List remediation projects that were begun/identified in the fiscal year ending 6/30/2014
- e Enter project number assigned by FP&C, DEQ, or other number assigned to identify project
 - Year the project was begun-this is not necessarily the year remediation began; it should be the
- f year the pollution was identified and includes time involved to develop a remediation plan and the actual remediation process
- This column is used to report those projects that were included/added in the previous fiscal year and had a balance outstanding at the end of that year
- h This column is for reporting increases in the estimated remediation cost, whether from expanding the scope of the project to contracting for a specific service.
- Record total expenditures related to the project made during the fiscal year, including those made in the 13th period (13th period expenditures are also shown separately in column AB (p)
- Record activities that decrease the estimated remediation liability that are <u>not</u> expenditures--for example, amounts included in original estimate were overstated and actual was less than what was recorded; scope of project not as extensive as originally estimated.
- k The formula in this column sums columns J, L, N, and P (g, h, i, and j)
- Indicate percentage of project completion in this column
- m Amounts in this column represent the portion of the ending liability that are due and payable within the next 12 months
- Amounts in this column represent the portion of the ending liability that are not due and payable until after 6/30/14. This amount plus the amount in column V (m) must total the amount in
- This column is to identify any amounts that have been or will be received from other sources such as other responsible parties or insurance proceeds to help cover the cost of remediation
- P Record amounts expended on pollution remediation projects during the 13th accounting period in this column-this amount should be included in column N (i)
- q Provide reference and note explanations on an extra page, for example: (1) awaiting court

- FF. AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT (ARRA) NOT APPLICABLE
- GG. RESTRICTED ASSETS OTHER SPECIFIC PURPOSES NOT APPLICABLE
- HH. SERVICE CONCESSION ARRANGEMENTS NOT APPLICABLE
- II. NONEXCHANGE FINANCIAL GUARANTEES (GASB 70) NOT APPLICABLE

STATE OF LOUISIANA SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA) SCHEDULE OF PER DIEM PAID TO BOARD MEMBERS JUNE 30, 2014

(Fiscal close)

Name		Amount
Lula Anderson	_ \$	900
Ronald Callais		1275
Brent Duet		1050
Robert Eymard, Sr.	_	1050
Bob Faulk	_	900
Mitch Danos	_	900
Ray Mayet	_	1125
Monty Vegas	_	975
CJ Marts	_	825
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Total	\$	9,000

Note: The per diem payments are authorized by Louisiana Revised Statute, and are presented in compliance with House Concurrent Resolution No. 54 of the 1979 Session of the Legislature.

STATE OF LOUISIANA SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA) SCHEDULE OF NOTES PAYABLE JUNE 30, 2014

(Fiscal close)

NOT APPLICABLE

Issue	Date of Issue	Original Issue	Principal Outstanding 6/30/PY	Redeemed (Issued)	Principal Outstanding 6/30/CY	Interest Rates	Interest Outstanding 6/30/CY
		\$	\$	\$	\$		\$

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Total		\$	\$	\$	\$		\$

^{*}Send copies of new amortization schedules

STATE OF LOUISIANA SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA) SCHEDULE OF BONDS PAYABLE JUNE 30, 2014

(Fiscal close)

Issue	Date of Issue	Original Issue	Principal Outstanding 6/30/PY	Redeemed (Issued)	Principal Outstanding 6/30/CY	Interest Rates	Interest Outstanding 6/30/CY
Series: 2006	06/26/06	7000000	3590000	635000	2955000	4.23%	178717
							
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Unamortized I and Premiums							
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Total		\$	\$	\$	\$	<u> </u>	\$

^{*}Note: Principal outstanding (bond series minus unamortized costs) at 6/30/14 should agree to bonds payable on the statement of net position.

Send copies of new amortization schedules for bonds and unamortized costs.

STATE OF LOUISIANA SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA) SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL LEASE AMORTIZATION For The Year Ended June 30, 2014

NOT APPLICABLE

Fiscal Year Ending:	<u>Payment</u>	Interest	Principal	Balance
2015	\$	\$	\$	\$
2016				
2017				
2018				
2019				
2020-2024				
2025-2029				
2030-2034				
2035-2039				
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$ <u></u>

SCHEDULE 4-A

STATE OF LOUISIANA SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA) SCHEDULE OF NOTES PAYABLE AMORTIZATION For the Year Ended June 30, 2014

NOT APPLICABLE

Fiscal Year Ending:	Principal	Interest
2015	\$	\$
2016		
2017		
2018		
2019		
2020-2024		
2025-2029		
2030-2034		
2035-2039		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Total	\$	\$

STATE OF LOUISIANA SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA) SCHEDULE OF BONDS PAYABLE AMORTIZATION For The Year Ended June 30, 2014

Fiscal Year <u>Ending:</u>		<u>Principal</u>		Interest
2015	\$	675000	\$	69442
2016		715000		53580
2017		760000		36778
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Subtotal Unamortized Discounts/Premiums	-			
Total	\$	2955000	\$	178717

^{*}Note: Principal outstanding (bond series plus minus unamortized costs) at 6/30/14 should agree to bonds payable on the statement of net position. SCHEDULE 4-C

STATE OF LOUISIANA

SOUTH LAFOURCHE LEVEE DISTRICT (BTA)

COMPARISON FIGURES

To assist OSRAP in determining the reason for the change in financial position for the State, please complete the schedule below. If the change is greater than \$5 million, explain the reason for the change. Please provide adequate details to clearly explain the change from last year.

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>	Difference	Percentage <u>Change</u>
1) Revenues	\$ 17,193,734	\$_14,272,642	\$_2,921,092_\$	20.5%
Expenses	16,469,565	15,045,281	1,424,284	9.5%
2) Capital assets	34,199,406	35,477,792	(1,278,386)	(3.6%)
Long-term debt	3,586,180	4,148,081	(561,901)	(13.5%)
Net position	51,473,711	50,749,542	724,169	1.4%
Explanation for change:		NA.		

SCHEDULE 16 - COOPERATIVE ENDEAVORS - NOT APPLICABLE FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2014

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